

# SACRED HEART CHURCH

Bushwood, Maryland – Founded 1755

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**Rectory Office Hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Masses:** Tuesday & Friday 7:00 a.m., Sunday 6:30 and 8:00 a.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** After the Tuesday 7 a.m. Mass

**Confessions:** Saturday, 2:45 – 3:15 p.m.

**Baptisms:** By appointment.

**Weddings:** Six months advance notice.

**CCD Classes:** Sunday, 9:05 a.m., Holy Angels Sacred Heart School.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	Oct.	26	Mass at Holy Angels – 7:30 a.m.	
Tues.	Oct.	27	7:00 a.m.	Aloysius Dean
Wed.	Oct.	28	Mass at Holy Angels – 7:30 a.m.	
Thurs.	Oct.	29	NO MASS	
Fri.	Oct.	30	7:00 a.m.	Sylvia Mast
Sun.	Nov.	1	6:30 a.m.	Parishioners of Sacred Heart & Holy Angels
			8:00 a.m.	Holy Souls

Dear Sacred Heart Family,

The first week of November is National Vocations Week. Every vocation is about bringing souls to heaven; it is the answer to the question: “*Who is God calling me to bring to heaven?*” Married couples are called to be “helpmates” to each other on the path to heaven. Religious brothers and sisters bring others to heaven by their prayer, service and example in living the Gospel in a radical way. Priests in a special way help souls to heaven. Through Baptism and Confession, they bring souls into a state of grace, and most importantly, they bring Jesus to others through the Eucharist.

The first week of November is a time to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. It is also a time to pray for the perseverance of living our vocations faithfully. On Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, the usual weekly Holy Hours will be dedicated to pray for vocations – from 7:30 -8:30am at Sacred Heart and from 7:00-8:00pm, at Holy Angels. All are welcome!

This year, Fr. Early, our former pastor, celebrates his 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of priesthood. Due to something that came up, he was not able to be with us this weekend to celebrate this anniversary, but we will schedule a time soon when he can do so with all of us. Last Sunday, the former pastor of Holy Angels, Msgr. Brady, celebrated 60 years of being ordained a priest. He composed a prayer that he prays before he celebrates Mass, but he also wrote it for anyone who participates at Mass, which includes everyone who is present. This prayer is below, and copies are also in the back of church.

*Dear Holy Spirit:*

*We place ourselves under your total power, guidance and control. We surrender to you our intellects; our talents; our wills; and our entire selves. Hover over us as you did at the Baptism of Jesus.*

*May we be filled with the Holy Spirit, and with love! May the Spirit of the Lord be stirred up within us so that we might be God's chosen instruments, to touch the hearts of every soul, and lead them to the Lord their God.*

*Empower us to discern; enable us to do; and to complete the work to which we have been called during our earthly life.*

*Spirit of the Living God, fall abundantly on upon us. Mold us, use us, lead us, and guide us. Transform each of us to become more like Christ. Amen.*

May God bless you,  
Fr. Anthony Lickteig

**OUR ANNUAL FALL DINNER** will be held today, Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 12 noon. Menu includes: Fried Oysters, Stuffed Ham, Turkey and all the trimmings. All you can eat. Served buffet style. Adults \$25 and Children 12 and under \$6. Drive-thru Carry-outs \$25. **Lots of help will be needed.** **Please volunteer your time when you can.**

**DINING ROOM:** All dining room help please report to Tammy Pilkerton at 11:15 a.m. in the dining room.

**CLEAN-UP:** If you were not able to help in any other way, perhaps you could come to the Hall late on Sunday (around 4:00pm) to help with the clean-up. Also, help will be needed to clean and put away items on Monday.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** The second collection next weekend is our monthly School Support collection.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** The flowers on the Main Altar were given by Ann Lawrence in memory of the Fowler and Lawrence families.

**THEOLOGY OVER DINNER:** Please join us Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at Kevin's Corner Café in Leonardtown at 7pm for this month's talk entitled "The Face of Mercy". Sister Maria de la Revelacion Castañeda, who serves as Mission Education Coordinator for the Office of Missions in the Archdiocese of Washington, will be the guest speaker. If you would like to order dinner, please arrive no later than 6:15pm.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS:** Each year, the Maryland State Council of the Knights of Columbus awards three Catholic high school scholarship grants to sons and daughters of members of the Knights of Columbus and three Catholic high school scholarship grants to Catholic students in general to attend a Catholic high school in Maryland. Interested parents and students may obtain specific information and applications by writing to Maryland State Council Knights of Columbus State Scholarship Chairman, c/o Phil Asplen, 2525 Pot Springs Road, L-503, Timonium, MD 21093 or by visiting [www.kofc-md.org](http://www.kofc-md.org) and clicking on the Scholarship Opportunities link.

**PILGRIMAGE:** Our Lady Fatima Sodality of Holy Angels Church is sponsoring a Pilgrimage to the Lords Grotto and Mother Seton Shrine in Emmitsburg, MD on Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>. Host will be Father Charles Connor, EWTN Historian and Assistant Professor at St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg. The cost is \$75 and will include Motor Coach along with lunch and all tours. For additional information contact Joan Warczynski at 301-904-1956.

**MCA NEWS:** "TRUNK OR TREAT": Bring your children ages 10 and under in costume for some Halloween fun at MCA on October 30<sup>th</sup>. Event starts at 7:00pm and includes kid-safe trick-or-treating, outdoor games, a pumpkin roll and more! If you would like to decorate your car's trunk and distribute candy, email [eventsatmca@gmail.com](mailto:eventsatmca@gmail.com) to reserve your spot. Vehicles participating in the trunk-or-treat must be set up by 6:30 pm. The best-decorated trunk will win a prize!

**MASS WITH HEALING PRAYERS:** The next Southern Maryland Mass with healing prayers will be Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup> at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Lexington Park. Mass will begin at 7:00pm and confessions will start at 6:30pm. All are welcome!

**REQUEST FOR INTERCESSORY PRAYER:** Sick: Eleanor Clarkson, Bill Finegan, Trudy Quade, Carroll Farrell, Miles Mattingly, Carol Ann Hall, Kyle Tyer, Ginny Guy, Ernest Armstrong, Aloysius Butler, Madeline Hutchins, Joseph Freddie Morgan, Harrison Robrecht, Bert Dean, Bernie Quade, Melanie Gibson, Elaine Frederick, Jr. Farrell, Barbara Raley, Nancy Rueckert & Myrtle Thompson.

### OCTOBER VOTIVE CANDLE INTENTIONS

**Blessed Mother Altar** – Given by Charles & Margie Boyers for the intentions of Nancy Cortinovis.

**St. Joseph Altar** – Given by Dr. & Mrs. Garner Morgan for the intentions of their family.

**Sacred Heart Altar** – Given by Robert & Diane Anderson in memory of Pat Long.

### SEPTEMBER COLLECTION RESULTS

Loose \$1,056.00	Envelopes \$10,397.00	Total \$11,453.00
		Other Income + 1,700.25
		Total Income \$13,153.25
School Support - \$1,016.00		Sept. Expenses - 14,463.66
Catholic University - \$786.00		\$-1,285.41
Mission Collection - \$568.00		

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**